STATE OF ILLINOIS STATE OF ILLINOIS SECRETARY OF STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT

IN THE MATTER OF: CASH LINK SYSTEMS, INC.,

ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS,

EMPLOYEES, AFFILIATES, SUCCESSORS,)

AGENTS AND ASSIGNS,

)File No. 0400536

CONSENT ORDER OF PROHIBITION

TO THE RESPONDENT:

Cash Link Systems, Inc.
Michael Quilling, Receiver
2001 Bryan Street, Suite 1800
Dallas, Texas 75201

WHEREAS, Respondents, Cash Link Systems, Inc., (the "Respondent") on March 8, 2005, executed a certain Stipulation To Enter Consent Order of Prohibition (the "Stipulation"), which hereby is incorporated by reference herein.

WHEREAS, by means of the Stipulation, the Respondent has admitted to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of State and service of the Notice of Hearing in this matter and the Respondents have consented to the entry of this Consent Order of Prohibition.

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State, by and through his designated representative, the Securities Director, has determined that the matter related to the aforesaid formal hearing may be dismissed without further proceeding.

WHEREAS, the Respondent has acknowledged that the allegations contained in paragraph eight (8) of the Stipulation shall be adopted as the Secretary of State's Findings of Fact as follows:

Count I: Violation of 12.A and 12.D

- That Respondent, Cash Link Systems, Inc. (Hereinafter, "Cash Link"), is a purported business entity, with a last known address of 4561 Sheridan Street, Suite 410, Hollywood, Florida, 33021;
- 2. That on or about March 31, 2004, Cash Link, its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and

Assigns, offered and sold to at least one (1) Illinois resident, three ATM machines for a total investment of \$12,858; Cash Link, by and through its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and Assigns, represented that it would assist the Illinois resident in placement and location of said ATM machines, that in return for said investment, the Illinois resident would receive \$1.10 for each transaction made on said ATM machines and that the Illinois resident could make up to \$4,000 per month as a result of said transactions;

- 3. That the above referenced investment program is an investment contract and is a security as the term is defined pursuant to Section 2.1 of the Illinois Securities Law of 1953 [815 ILCS 5/1 et seq.] (the "Act");
- 4. That Section 5 of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that all securities except those exempt under Section 3 of the Act or those offered and sold in transactions exempt under Section 4 of the Act shall be registered with the Secretary of State prior to their offer or sale in the State of Illinois;
- 5. That Section 12.A of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that it shall be a violation of the Act for any person to offer or sell securities except in accordance with the provisions of the Act;
- 6. That Section 12.D of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that it shall be a violation of the Act for any person to fail to file with the Secretary of State any document or application required to be filed under the provisions of the Act;
- 7. That at all times relevant hereto, Cash Link, its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and Assigns, failed to file an application for registration of the above-referenced securities with the Secretary of State prior to their offer or sale in the State of Illinois;
- 8. That by virtue of the foregoing, Cash Link, its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and Assigns, has violated Sections 12.A and 12.D of the Act;
- 9. That Section 11.E.(3) of the Act provides, inter alia, that if the Secretary of State shall find that any person is engaging or has engaged in the business of selling or offering for sale securities as a dealer or salesperson

without prior thereto and at the time thereof having complied with the registration or notice filing requirements of this Act, the Secretary of State may by written order prohibit the person from offering or selling any securities in this State;

- 10. That Section 11.E(2) of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that if the Secretary of State shall find that any person has violated subsection D of Section 12 of the Act, the Secretary of State may by written order prohibit the person from offering or selling any securities in this State;
- 11. That Section 11.E(4) of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that if the Secretary of State, after finding that any provision of the Act has been violated, may impose a fine as provided by rule, regulation or order not to exceed \$10,000.00 for each violation of the Act, charge as costs of investigation all reasonable expenses, and issue an order of public censure;
- 12. That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondent Cash Link Systems, Inc., its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and Assigns, is subject to a fine of up to \$10,000.00 per violation, costs of investigation, an order of public censure, and an order which permanently prohibits the Respondents from offering or selling securities in the State of Illinois.

Count II: Violation of 12.F

- 1-3. Paragraphs 1-3 of Count I are re-alleged and incorporated as paragraphs 1-3 of this Count II;
- 4. That as of this date, Cash Link has failed to assist the Illinois resident in the placement of the aforesaid ATM machines, nor has the Illinois resident received a return of any kind for said investment; furthermore, on or about June, 2004, the Illinois resident discovered Cash Link's last known phone number had been disconnected and therefore has been unable to contact Cash Link in this regard;
- 5. That Section 12.F of the Act provides, inter alia, that it shall be a violation of the Act for any person to engage in any transaction, practice or course of business in connection with the sale of purchase of securities which

works or tends to work a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser or seller thereof;

- That at all times relevant hereto, Respondent Cash Link, by 6. and through its Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns, engaged in a transaction, practice or course of business in connection with the sale or purchase of securities which tended to work a fraud or deceit on the purchaser, in that Respondents represented to the Illinois resident that he would receive \$1.10 per transaction, that he could make up to \$4,000 per month from said transactions and that Cash Link would assist him in the location and placement of said ATM machines, when in fact the Illinois resident never received a return of any kind for his investment, Cash Link failed to assist him in placement and location of any of the aforesaid ATM machines, Illinois Resident has attempted to contact Respondent in this regard without success;
- 7. That by virtue of the foregoing, Respondent Cash Link Systems, Inc., its Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns, have violated Section 12.F of the Act;
- 8. That Section 11.E(1) of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that if the Secretary of State shall find that the offer or sale or method of offer or sale of any securities by any person, whether exempt or not, in this State, is fraudulent, or would work or tend to work a fraud or deceit, the Secretary of State may by written order prohibit the offer or sale of securities by that person in this State;
- 9. That Section 11.E(2) of the Act provides, inter alia, that if the Secretary of State shall find that any person has violated subsection F of Section 12 of the Act, the Secretary of State may by written order prohibit the person from offering or selling any securities in this State;
- 10. That Section 11.E(4) of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that if the Secretary of State, after finding that any provision of the Act has been violated, may impose a fine as provided by rule, regulation or order not to exceed \$10,000.00 for each violation of the Act, charge as costs of investigation all reasonable expenses, and issue an order of public censure;

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That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondent Cash Link 11. Systems, Inc., its Officers, Directors, Employees, Agents, Affiliates, Successors and Assigns, is subject to a fine of up to \$10,000.00 per violation, costs of investigation, an order of public censure, and an order which permanently prohibits the Respondents from offering or securities in the State of Illinois.

WHEREAS, the Respondent has acknowledged that the allegations contained in paragraph nine (9) of the Stipulation shall be adopted as the Secretary of State's Conclusions of Law as follows:

- That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondent, Cash Link 1. Systems, Inc., its Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns, has violated Sections 12(A), 12(D) and 12(F) of the Act;
- 2. That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondent, Cash Link Systems, Inc., its Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns, is subject to an order which permanently prohibits it from offering or selling securities in the State of Illinois.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The foresaid allegations contained in the Stipulation shall be and are hereby adopted as the Secretary of State's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law;
- The Respondent shall be permanently prohibited from offering 2. and selling securities in the State of Illinois;

ENTERED: This day of Mach

Secretary of State State of Illinois

Failure to comply with the terms of this Order shall be a violation of Section 12(D) of the Illinois Securities Law of

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1953 [815 ILCS 5] (the "Act"). Any person or entity who fails to comply with the terms of this Order of the Secretary of State, having knowledge of the existence of this Order, shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony.

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